St. Clair Borough News Bulletin April 2023

ATTENTION: Our new web address is - www.stclairpa.gov

The official site of the Borough of St. Clair is **www.stclairpa.gov** for information concerning the Borough. Such information includes a list of public officials, local ordinances, forms, a copy of the monthly newsletter, council meeting minutes, and links for CodeRED and to pay your electric bill. The agenda for the council meeting will be posted on the web page 24 hours prior to the meeting.

Due to the Primary Election Day, Tuesday, May 16, the Borough office will be closed. Sanitation collection will not be affected.

When **paying your bill on-line**, make sure your on-line electric bill payment reaches the Borough in a timely manner. **ONLY** use the St. Clair Borough website. Go to **www.stclairpa.gov**. Click on the RED button that says "Pay Electric Bill," and follow instructions. Reminder: The borough office will no longer be taking credit card payments over the phone.

The large item collection date is Wednesday, April 19, 2023.

Each large item is \$5. At this time, place a check, the name, address and phone number where the large item is to be collected in an envelope. Place the envelope in the drop off box in front of the Municipal Building. Please no cash. No sticker will be issued and collections will be assigned based upon the addresses listed. Large item collection is always the third Wednesday of the month.

The Saint Clair Sewer Authority now has a website! You can find it at StClairSewer.com. Look for instructions in your second quarter billing statement for paying on-line.

Applications for lifeguards and concession stand employees are being accepted for the upcoming swim season. Applications are available at the St. Clair Municipal Building between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Applications for part time **school crossing guards** are being accepted. Applications are available at the St. Clair Municipal Building between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

The **Hometown Hero banners** along Second Street that were taken down can be picked up at the Municipal Building. Remaining banners around town can be taken down by calling the Municipal Building. If you are coming to pick one up or would like a banner taken down, please call 570-429-0640, so it can be ready.

The St. Clair Community & Historical Society is selling **Hometown Hero keychains**. For those who purchased banners which were displayed in town, you now have another opportunity to honor your loved one. If you did not purchase a banner, you may submit a picture. You can purchase them by stopping by the museum at 27 N. Nicholas Street. The museum is open Tuesday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Or you can send a check payable to SCCHS to P.O. Box 187, St. Clair, PA 17970. Large (3 inch) Keychain - \$6.00 / Small (2 inch) Keychain - \$4.00

The next St. Clair Area Food Pantry, serving St. Clair, New Castle Township, Arnot's Addition, Mill Creek and Dieners Hill will be open Thursday, June 1 from 11 a.m. to noon at the St. Clair-Wade United Methodist Church, 23 N. Front St.

Walk Saint Clair! will begin it's 2023 walking season with a group walk on *Sunday, May 7 at 11 a.m.* beginning at the St. Clair Community and Historical Society. The group walking schedule will be

available by April 30 and will include various morning, evening and weekend walks. For those new to the community, Walk Saint Clair! formed in 2008 with the vision of helping to promote fitness, promote the beauty and history of the town and to bring residents together as a community. All walks are open to not only residents of St. Clair, but also residents of other municipalities, so feel free to bring a friend. Visit our website www.walksaintclair.com for the schedule, follow the Facebook page, email us at walksaintclair@gmail.com or call 570-429-1161 for more information.

<u>UPCOMING EVENTS</u>

April 15 – Phoenix Fire Company #4 at 28 Ann Street will be hosting a Chicken Wing Sale. Delicious, jumbo breaded wings \$13.00/dozen add fresh cut fries \$2.00. Wing flavors include: ranch, spicey ranch, pub style, BBQ, spicey BBQ, honey mustard, parm peppercorn, sweet heat, hot, spicey bourbon, garlic hot and Phoenix hot. Please contact Darrin @ 570-516-0233, Julie @ 570-516-1960 or Becky @ 570-292-0955 no later than Thursday, April 13. All orders will be preorder and take out only from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

May 6 – Opening Day ceremony for St. Clair Little League at noon. Parade will begin at 11 a.m. May 13 – Famous Reading Outdoors is hosting an ATV Bingo Event at 10 a.m. in town and a band will play at the former Mag Motors 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

May 31 & June 1 – The St. Clair Rescue Hook & Ladder Co. #3 in conjunction with the St. Clair Women's Club will be having a MR. STICKY'S Sticky Bun sale. The cost is \$5 each, 6 for \$22, or 12 for \$40. Pick up location is at the Rescue Hook & Ladder Co. at 138 N. Second Street in St. Clair. To pre-order your sticky buns, please call Dave at 570-573-8614.

June 14 – Cressona Band will be performing an array of patriotic music at 7 p.m. at the Admiral Boone Park. Bring chairs.

June 17 - Save the date - Town-wide Yard Sale

June 27 – **Pottsville's Third Brigade Band** will be performing a medley of music at 7 p.m. at the Admiral Boone Park. Bring your chairs.

July 15 – Save the date for the Annual St. Clair Car Cruise. The St. Clair Community and Historical Society will host the St. Clair Borough fireworks at 9:30 p.m. at the St. Clair Memorial Stadium.

Mayor's Report

- 1. Three new military-themed license plates are now available from the PA Dept. of Transportation: The Air Medal License plate, Afghanistan and Iraq Veterans license plate, and the Blue Star Family license plate. For more information contact Senator David Argall at 717-787-2637 or Representative Tim Twardzik at 570-794-4039 or 570-874-5201.
- 2. Some residents may be anticipating a tax refund from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Anyone who would like to check the status of a Pennsylvania Income tax refund do so by calling 1-888-728-2937.

Historical Note

The meat industry was developed as our community grew. Early purveyors of fresh meat to the residents of our town were members of the following families: Meinholds, Schmeltzers, Arnouts, Wursters and O'Donnells.

The May issues, review and finance work session will be held on Thursday, April 27, 2023, beginning at 6:30 p.m. The May monthly council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 2, 2023, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Meetings will be held in Council Chambers, St. Clair Municipal Building. For additional methods to provide public comment for the council meeting, comments can be 1.) emailed to rprice@ptd.net, 2.) mailed to the Borough Secretary at 16 S. Third Street, Saint Clair, PA 17970 or 3.) placed in the drop box in front of the Municipal Building. In order for an item to be discussed at the council meeting, it must arrive to the Borough Secretary at least 48 hours before the meeting commences in order for it to be part of the agenda.